

# California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Monday, February 3, 2020  
9:00 AM PST

Day 1 (Mon): Strong, gusty winds will continue across portions of Southern Region today.

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# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**02/03/20 - 02/09/20**

## **Monday**

- The storm system that swept through the state on Sunday will begin to exit California today
  - A few light showers could linger across Southern Region on Monday
    - Light snow accumulation could impact travel on some lower passes, including the Grapevine
  - Strong, gusty north winds will continue on Monday, with the strongest winds in Southern Region
    - These strongest winds (with gusts up to 60-80 mph, isolated 90 mph gusts possible through portions of the I-5 corridor in Southern Region) will likely be in the Southern Region mountains, deserts, and some prone valleys, which will likely lead to downed trees and power lines
    - These strong winds will create elevated fire weather danger in Southern Region
  - Local beach erosion and minor coastal flooding is possible Monday in Southern Region

## **Monday Night - Sunday**

- Lingering gusty offshore winds are possible across portions of Southern Region through Tuesday
- Drier weather will develop across the state late Monday through much of the week
  - Some light showers are possible in far northern California mid-to-late week, but no significant impacts are currently expected
- Cold overnight low temperatures (sub-freezing in some locations) are expected in many areas early-to-mid week, especially Tuesday morning and Wednesday morning
- A general warming trend is expected Wednesday through the end of the work week



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

02/03/20 - 02/09/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>	Southern	Southern					
<b>Snow</b>	Southern						
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>	Southern						
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms</b> (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
<b>Fire Weather</b> (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern						
<b>Heat Risk</b>							
<b>Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow</b>							
<b>Cold</b>	All Regions	All Regions	All Regions				



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



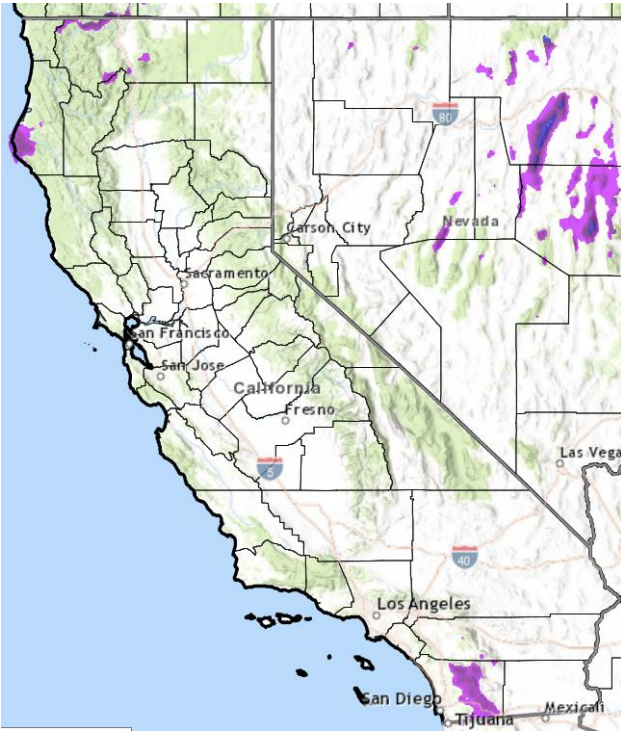
Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

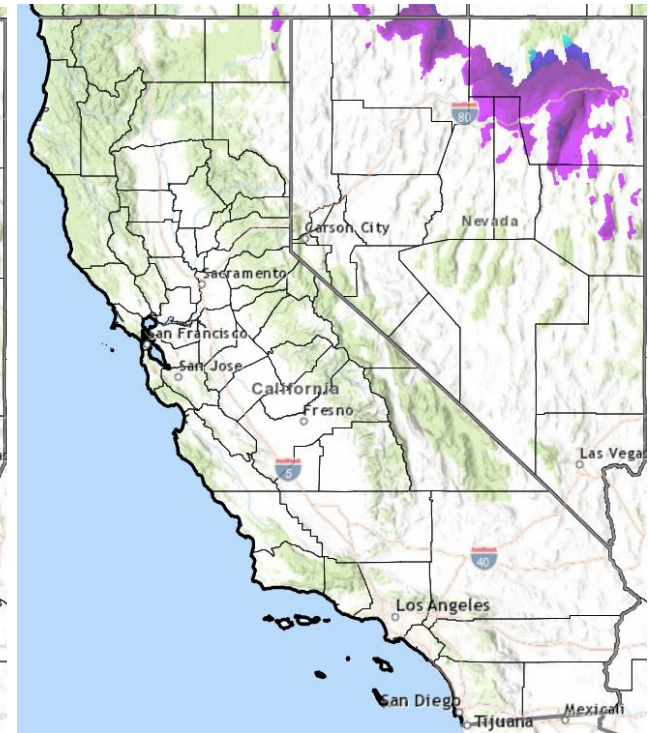
02/03/20 - 02/05/20



Monday/  
Monday Night



Tuesday/  
Tuesday Night



Wednesday/  
Wednesday Night

Precipitation (inches)



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**02/08/20 - 02/16/20**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (February 8 – February 12)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures slightly favored

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation favored, especially across northern CA

## **8-14 Day Outlook (February 10 – February 16)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures slightly favored

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation slightly favored, especially across northern CA



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